ZIEGLER MAY HAVE

LED ANTIALUM FIGHT

Evidence Before Grand Jury

Tends to Hold Him Responsible

for Campaign in Missouri.

CHIEF OWNER OF ROYAL STOCK

Representative Luig Credited

With Statement That He Un

derstood \$25,000 Was Ready

to Repeal Law.

Investigation into legislative boodling has

led the prosecuting authorities to inquire

into the exact status of William F. Ziegler,

chief owner of Royal Baking Powder stock.

in the negotiations which led up to the pass-

age of the antialum law and the prevention of subsequent attempts to repeal the meas-

So far, the evidence before the authorities tends to hold Ziegler, the backer of

the Baldwin-Ziegler polar expeditions, re-

sponsible for the campaign against alum in Missouri, as well as in other States.

He was in St. Louis during the fight for

repeal of the law in 1801. His exact con-

nection with the manipulation of the Senate Criminal Jurisprudence Committee has

D. J. Kelley was with him. Kelley was employed by the Royal Baking Powder

Company, and, acording to the testimony

any. This concern had been recently or-

ganized and manufactured the phosphate

which the independent baking powder com-

panies use as a substitute for cream of

artar. It has a practical monopoly of

Udells to be supported in their control of

"I refused absolutely to sell," said Mr.

"William J. Stone did not appear in the

"I did not meet Kelley and would no

sey stock has since been bought by the

Udell interests, so that Ziegler cannot buy

whether Lee had any acquaintance with

except from them. However, I think that Mr. Ziegler would not sell his stock if he could, as it is a gilt-edge investment. D. J. Kelley is said to have sent John A. Lee to Mr. Price, though it is not known

the business.

MADE EFFORT TO GET

A CONTROLLING INTEREST.

TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

BUSINESS. Yesterday's bank clearings were \$5,315,500; balances, \$1,062,947. Local discount rates were firm between 5 and 6 per cent. Domestic exchange was quoted as follows: New York, 10c premium bid, 20c premium asked; Chicago, 5c discount bid, par asked; Cincinnati, Louisville and New Orleans, 10c discount bid, par asked.

Wheat closed lower at 6814c asked July, 7297344c No. 2 red. Corn closed steady at 41c bid July, 434,644c No. 2 mixed. Oats closed at 30%c asked July, 344c No. 2 mixed. The local market for spot cotton was un-

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN. Illinois division, G. A. R., holds prelimi-

Henry T. Mudd, an octogenarian, who di-vided his estate before his death, declared in his will that he owed no debts and would

contract no obligations. Bishop Spaiding of Peoria delivered a ecture on "Education" before the St. Louis lety of Pedagogy at the High School

The Knights of Father Mathew will give a benefit to raise a fund for a temperance

ovement in Forest Park Bishop of M. E. Church, South, made ap-

pointments for Episcopal visitations. The funeral of Doctor John P. Bryson takes place at 9:30 o'clock this morning. Steamboat engineers, whose licenses were revoked, called on the American Federation of Labor for ald, and threatened to tie up the Terminal Railroad Association in con-

nection with the Wigins Ferry Company on the point of recognizing organized labor. James Ferguson, 16, and Anthony Paustis, 18, who had been boyhood chums it Connsylvania, unexpectedly met in the City Hospital, where they occupy adjoining cots, Hearing in the Drainage Canal case was postponed yesterday until to-morrow, when Attorney General Crow and Attorney Gen-eral Hamlin will both be present to ques-tion expert witnesses on the plaintiff's test of the speed of the canal's current by floats. Joint committee is expected to report fa-worably on Terminal ordinances.

Mrs. Elizabeth O'Leary, charged with swearing falsely to a pension affidavit, de-nies having made application.

Evidence before the Grand Jury tends to hold William F. Ziegier responsible for real of anti-alum bill. Row in Jerseyville City Council over sa

The promotion of Lieutenant Robert Starrell hastens his wedding to Miss Anna M. Hunter, daughter of Major George K.

GENERAL DOMESTIC. The North American Telegraph and Cable Company has filed articles of incorporation at Seattle for the construction of a cable from Seattle to Alaskan points.

James and Younger establish precedent in show business. Former nurse of Queen Victoria dead at Eigin, Ili.

National Charities conference at Atlanta. Governor Van Sant of Minnesota prevents coting of Statehouse chairs and dishes. No immediate prospect of settling Chicago laundry strike.

Both factions at Bloomington, Ill., claim aght on readjustment. The monitor Arkansas has anchored in deep water opposite Little Rock Landing, being unable to proceed down the river to Cairo until several shallow places in the

river are deepened by a Government dredge-boat or the stage of the water is increased. Heroic treatment may become necessary in order to bring to justice the assassins of James B. Marcum at Jackson, Breathitt County, Ky. The county has no Coroner and it is declared that no one is willing to serve.

Father James T. Coffey was elected president of the Alumni Association of the American College in Rome at its meeting in New York yesterday. Congressman Cochran not a candidate for Governor of Missouri.

St. Joseph Insane Asylum guard under ar-rest for murder of patient. ols Conference of Swedish Lutheran

WASHINGTON Civil Service Commissioner Proctor be-lieves that the United States in time may control trade in China, her interests, with that of England, already being paramounts. he will cause a thorough investigation of methods in use in the various large post offices of the country, and he expects that

A naval officer tells of the difficulties enntered by the department in selecting nes for new vessels, chiefly arising from

dent Roosevelt has selected the Ameran delegation to the Geneva Conference

SPORTING. Winners at the Fair Grounds yesterday were Luna Minor, Old Stone, Erema, Sylvia Talbot, Pettijohn and Dawson.

Johnny Regan was injured in his train-g Tuesday, and will be unable to fight

Clarence Forbes is scheduled to box Johnny Regan at the West End Club to-Alexander Winton breaks the world's auto record at Cleveland, O., covering a mile in 1:02.

Letauket won the Corono Stakes at Ja-

FOREIGN. Colonels Santos and Delacring, lenders of the recent insurrection in the Rizal Prov-ince of the Philippines, have been con-victed of brigandage and sentenced to

The German Government has applied to the United States to ascertain what pro-tection this country will afford German ex-hibits at the St. Louis World's Fair from imitation. Many of the large exhibits of the country are conditional upon a guar-

The Austrian Government has finally notified the United States Foreign Office that the country will not participate in the World's Fair, though the Hungarian Government will have an independent art ex-

Marine Intelligence. New York, May 6.-Arived: Victoria. Naples. Bremen, May 6.—Arrived: Kalser Wilhelm

Hong-Kong, May 6.—Arrived previously: Empress of Japan, Vancouver, via Yoko-hama; Korea, San Francisco, via Honolulu,

New York, May &-Arrived: Victoria, Sagres, May 5.—Passed: Sicilian Prince, Genoa, etc., for New York.
Lizard, May 6.—Passed: Columbian, Boston, for London; Manitou, New York, for

Glasgow, May 6.—Arrived: Laktonia, St. John, New Brunswick, via Liverpool. London, May 7.—Salled: Anglican, Bos-

Antwerp, May 6, 9 a. m.-Sailed: Switzer land, Philadelphia.
Southampton, May 6, 1 p. m.—Sailed:
Kaiser Wilhelm Der Grosse, from Bremen,
for New York, via Cherbourg.
Scilly. May 6.—Passed: Patricie, New

York, for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Ham-Queenstown, May 6.-Sailed: Cappathia,

pol, May 6.—Sailed: Armenian New York, May & Sailed: Sicilia, Spezzia

via Genoa; New York, Southampton; Noor-dam, Rotterdam and Boulogne; Tunic

outh, May 6.—Arrived; Patricia, New or Cherbourg and Hamburg (and pro-Liverpool, May 6.—Sailed: Dominion, Que-bec and Montreal; Germanic, New York

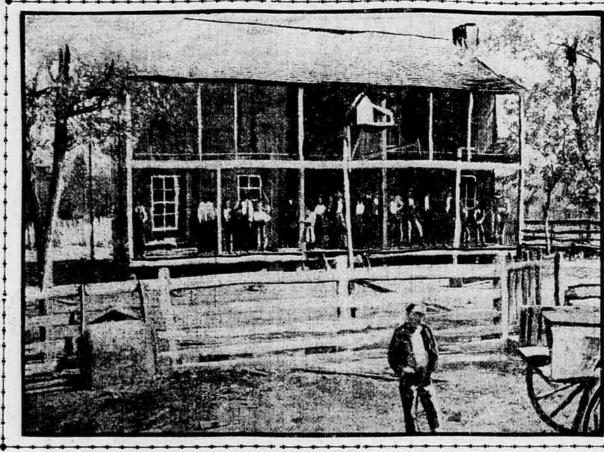
via Queenstown; Westernland, Philadel-phia via Queenstown, Cherbourg, May

phia via Queentown.
Cherbourg, May 5.—Salied: Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse (from Bremen and Southampton), New York.
Yokohama, May 5.—Salied: Keemun (from
Liverpool, Eingapore, Hong-Kong and
Shanghal), Victoria, British Columbia, and

Lizard, May 7, 2:10 a. m.—Passed: St. Paul, New York for Southampton, New York, May 6.—Arrived: Teutonic,

New York, May 6.—Arrived: Teutonic, from Liverpool and Queenstown, Southeast of Fire Island, at 3:4:p. m.

HOME OF CONSTABLE MOONEYHAN, WHERE HE AND HIS PRISONER WERE SLAIN BY MOB



NEIGHBORS ASSEMBLED FOR THE FUNERAL OF THE "REVEREND" D. M. MALONE.

At the front steps of the Constable's home at Wardell, Pemiscot County, Mo., Malone was shot to death after Mooneyhan had refused to deliver him to the mob and had paid the penalty of refusal with his life. The wagon shown in the picture contains the body of the dead preacher. The woman in the case, Mrs. Molly Freil, fied through the house, scaled the high picket fence in the rear and climbed an apple tree, where she remained until the mob, which searched for her, had disappeared. Mrs. Freil, who had also been arrested by Mooneyhan, is in jail at Caruthersville.

FATHER COFFEY ELECTED PRESIDENT OF ALUMNI.

Association of the American College in Rome Holds Large Meeting

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

New York, May 6.-The Alumni Association of the American College in Rome met at the Hotel Savoy for their annual session to-day. One hundred and fifty priests and prelates from all over the country were present.

Officers elected for the following year were: The Reverend James T. Coffey, St. Louis, president; the Reverend John F. Hickey, Cincinnati, first vice president; the Reverend Nathan J. Mooney, Chicago, second vice president; the Reverend James N. Connelly, New York, secretary; the Rever-end Doctor William Maher, Hartford, treas-



THE REV. FATHER J. T. COFFEY.

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urer; the Reverend Thomas P. McLaughlin, New York, historian; Executive Committee, the Reverend John H. May, the
Reverend John V. Long and the Reverend
Alexander D. Mercer, all of St. Louis.

The next meeting will be held in St. Louis
either in May or September, 1904, the date
"depending on the opening of the Exposition," as the resolutions state, which
means, of course, in May.

The banquet that followed was made
complimentary to Archbishop Farley and
Mgr. Denis O'Connell, the new rector of the
Washington University.

Archbishop Farley in his speech pledged
the support of New York to the university
and eulogized Mgr. O'Connell.

The latter received a great ovation. It
was the first time he has appeared in New
York in a number of years. He was formerly rector of the American College in
Rome and lost that place through his bitter and outspoken opposition to the late
Archbishop Corrigan,

The late Archbishop was not an enthusiastic friend of the Washington institution,
which, under the vectorship of Bishop
Keane, was made the center of those opposed to the issues of church policy of
which the New York Metropolitan was supposed to be the leader. Monseignor O'Connell was also one of Archbishop Corrigan's
most active adversaries. The tribute paid
to Monseignor O'Connell to-day by Archbishop Farley and the warmth of the reception, gave especial significance to the occasion. He is the special protege of Cardinal Gibbons, and it is believed that he may
be made coadjutor to the Baltimore See, and
ultimately the Cardinal's successor.

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America. But it has not responded to my expectations." I want to impress you with this," said Monseignor O'Connell, "the Pope is anxious for the success of the university. Now, I feel confident that when I have the Archbishop of New York with me, there is no doubt about the success of my mission."

OLD RESIDENT OF ST. LOUIS DIED AFTER LONG ILLNESS.

John Ritter Was Engaged in Business for Nearly Half a

John Ritter, an old resident of St. Louis, died last night at his home, No. 3007 Manchester avenue, after a lingering illness

Mr. Ritter was engaged in the market and half a century. For many years he was letor of a market at Spring avenue proprietor of a and Olive street,

His wife died last June. Grief over her death resulted in his health falling. He was confined to his bed for several months. Mr. Ritter is survived by three sons, William, a former member of the House of Delegates; Edward A. and John H. Ritter, and five daughters, Mrs. Robert Gartside, Mrs. B. H. Stoltmann and Misses Tillie, Carrie and Addie Ritter.

The funeral will take place to-morrow. her death resulted in his health failing. He

POLICE SURROUND A LAUNDRY TO CAPTURE DONG GONG.

Fugitive Chinese Leper Believed to Be Hiding in Chinese Resort on Cottage Avenue.

The police at 11 o'clock last night placed a guard about a Chinese laundry in the rear of No. 4001 Cottage avenue, where Dong Gong, the Chinese leper, who escaped Monday night from quarantine, is believed to be in hiding. No one will be allowed to leave the building until the quarantine authorities arrive this morning to determin his identity.

It was learned by the police yesterday that a Chinaman, answering in every par-ticular the description of Dong Gong was taken to the Cottage avenue address the day after the leper's escape. He was seen to leave a carriage with

telescope grip in his hand and quickly disappear in the building. This aroused the uspicion of neighbors, who knew Dong Gong was at liberty. They immediately notified the police, who

late last night learned that the Chinaman

engaged the carriage in the vicinity of Eighth and Olive streets, and that another Chinaman accompanied him.

Chinaman accompanied him.

Dong Gong's brother. Lon Gong, is employed in a laundry at No. 15 South Eighth street, and this strengthened the opinion that the mysterious Chinamen who rode to Cottage avenue in a carriage was the missing leper.

Night Caief Gillaspy assigned two men to watch the house until this morning and word was sent to Doctor Woodcuff that a suspect was under surveillance. No attempt was made to communicate with the occupants of the house last night.

MONITOR ARKANSAS STOPPED ON ACCOUNT OF LOW WATER

Only Government Dredge Boat or Rise to Proceed to Cairo.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Ste. Genevieve, Mo., May 6.-The monitor Arkansas has been compelled to stop on her ourney to the Gulf on account of low water. She arrived opposite Little Rock landing

yesterday morning and anchored there pending information about the channel be tween there and Cniro.

tween there and Cairo.

Captain Vreeland learned that several places in the channel now have only nine feet of water. The monitor draws about eleven and one-half feet, and Commander Vreeland telegraphed to Chester, Ill., for a Government dredgeboat to precede the Arkansas down the river.

About three days will be required to get the dredge into operation. Unless there is a sudden and altogether unexpected rise in the river the monitor will have to remain at anchor for several days at least.

She is in thirty-five feet of water and perfectly safe, even if the river should go to the lowest point.

COMPLETION OF CITY HALL ORDERED TO BE RESUMED.

Expenditure of \$200,000 Is to Be Made on Immediate Improvements.

Work on the completion of the new City Hall is to be resumed at once. The City Hall Commission have had the matter under advisement and at a meeting yesterday

decided to start the work.

The estimated cost of the work is, according to President Phillips, who is chairman of the commission, about \$200,000.

An sir-filtration plant for the entire building will be built, to cost in the neighborhood of \$5,000. As all the interior wails are dirty and cannot be kept clean, especially the decorations in the Mayor's office and the two branches of the Assembly, the money will be well spent.

The Juvenile Court will have rooms set aside for its use on the fourth floor, at present numbered 408.

Comptroller Player says that the money can be appropriated from the general revenue. Mr. Phillips hopes to start the work at once and have it very near completion by the middle of December. decided to start the work.

GRANDFATHER IS INJURED ACTING AS PEACEMAKER.

Alexander Jackson, 90 Years Old, May Die From Wounds Which Posten Is Charged With Inflicting.

Alexander Jackson, 90 years old, was probably fatally injured about 10:30 o'clock last night while taking the part of his granddaughter, Mayme Jackson, in an altercation with Harvy Posten, 18 years old, at the home of Jackson, No. 5534 Bernard street.

Jackson and his granddaughter claim that
Posten kicked the aged man, after knocking
him down, and seriously injured him internally. Jackson was removed to the City
Hospital.

Posten who lives at Na 200 Leaston ave-

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The funeral will take place to-morrow.

Seriously Hurt by Car.

George J. Gibson was run down by a Suburban car while crossing the street in front of his home, No. 2217 Wash street, at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, and seriously injured internally.



MRS. MARY FREIL One of the central figures in the tragedy at Wardell, Mo. The picture shown is a copy of one buried with the "Reverend" D. M. Malone at his expressed wish.

MISS ALICE ROOSEVELT AGAIN AFFECTS THE CANE.

Carries It to Teas, When Out Driving Causes Much Comment.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Washington, May 6.-With her spring clothes, Miss Alice Roosevelt has resurrected her toy cane which she adopted last spring. She carries it to teas, out driving spring. She carries it to teas, out driving and, in fact, most everywhere, and is quite a conspicuous figure in the striking gowns a conspicuous figure in the striking gowns she now wears.
When she first returned from Baltimore, where she visited Mr. and Mrs. George Vanderbilt. she appeared everywhere in black and looked very stunning, too. Now her favorite costume is an all-white gown and a large black hat, with a drooping plume, and with this she carries the little silver-mounted cane, which causes much comment and thus far has been adopted by very few of the other society maidens.

VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS. -Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Jones of Independence at the New St. James.

—Mrs. A. E. Campbell of Bloomfield, Mo., is a guest at the Lacede. guest at the Laclede,

—G. S. Cartwright of Kansas City, Mo., spent yesterday at the St. Nicholas.

—Mrs. Luke Cates of Jackson, Tenn., is a guest at the Lindell.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Parks of Natchez, Miss., are at the Moser. -W. A. Slocum of Columbus, O., was at Horn's sterday. Miss Carrie Scott of Pitisburg, Pa., is a cest at the Planters. -Robert F. Perkins of Boston, Mass., is stop-ping at the Southern. --Jefferson C. Davis of Henderson, Ky., has rooms at the New St. James. --Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Holland of Marion, Ill., are at the Lacieds. are at the Luclede.

—Charles C. Hoyt of Boston, Mass., spent yesterday at the St. Nicholas.

—W. W. Hawkins of Springfield, Mo., has rooms at the Lindell.

—Mr. and Mrs. George A. Lyons of Seattle, Wash., are at the Moser. -Harry Schlesinger of Newark, N. J., is reg--A. W. Walker of Erie, Pa., is stopping at the outhern. -R. L. Willard of Denver, Colo., has rooms at the New St. James. Ash of Laporte, Ind., is on the guest and Mrs. William Davenport of Carmi, A. Howe of Detroit, Mich., spent yester-the Lindell. -W. V. Galbraith of Fort Worth, Tex., is reg-Istered at the Planters.

—Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wood of Chicago, Ill., are at the Southern.

—Miss Tena Thompson of Caruthersville, Ill., is a guest at the New St. James.

—W. J. Wood of Chicago, Ill., is on the guest list at the St. Nicholas.

—Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Williams of St. Paul, Minn., are stopping at the Lindell. Missourians in New York. REPUBLIC SPECIAL

New York. May 6.—Among the arrivals at the hotels here to-day were the following Missourians;
St. Louis-Miss H. Bendit, Netherland; A. Manheimer, Heraid Square; A. B. Gass, Savoy; A. S.
Partridge, Imperial; E. Holdeway, Marlborough;
G. Morton, Holiand; C. Kucher, Glisey; T. Master and Mrs. Master, Astor: M. Hernshelm, Cosmepolitan; G. V. Brecht, Imperial,
Kannas City-H. C. Breret, F. M. Howe, H. C.
Flower, Manhattan; J. Doggett, St. Denis; H.
A. Beedle, Heraid Square; H. R. Farnum, Criterion.

St. Joseph-N. M. Cantin, Hoffman.

In order to crush out competition with the Royal Baking Powder Company, Ziegler tried to get a controlling interest in the Provident Company. He bought in the open market all but forty-six shares of a majority of the stock. C. E. Udell owned nearly as much stock. The Guernsey estate held the balance of power, with 200 shares Mr. Guernsey had only recently died, but had told Sim T. Price, who was made executor of the will, that he wished the the company. Zieg'er offered fancy prices for the Guernsey stock. Price yesterday. "A number of men came to me, some from Mr. Ziegler, I suppose, and others who knew of the efforts to se-cure control of the company and who thought that there was a good chance for speculation. I believe John A. Lee inquired about the chance to buy the stock. proceedings at all and until recently I did not know that he was connected with the Royal Baking Powder Company, Mr. Ziek, ler's efforts were simply to get control of the Guernsey stock and nothing more, as know him if he were to appear. The Guern-

BEFORE GRAND JURY. Representative Ben Luig of St. Louis,

WITNESSES TESTIFY

Ziegler.

Chaplain J. A. Russell of Lutesville, Majo Emmet Newton of Springfield, E. T. Harkrader of St. Louis and George W. Eads of this city were the witnesses before the St. Louis Grand Jury yesterday.

Luig is said to have told that he under stood \$25,000 was ready to be used in order to secure a repeal of the antialum law while he heard some one say that a man was in Jefferson City who had \$40,000 to pass the Davidson text-book bill. These stories were current during the last ses slon, but not seriously considered.

Chaplain Russell testified regarding a cor versation between Representatives Dolan of Kansas City and Luig of St. Louis, wherein money was mentioned. This story was also mentioned in Jefferson City when the House Investigating Committee met. Harkrader and Eads, both newspaper correspondents. told what they knew of legislation

Emmet Newton had another strenuou hour with the inquisitorial body. Instead of being put in the dark room, after a seige with the jurors, he was excused to the hall for a couple of hours. After a second and short period of questioning, he was finally excused. The jurors are said to have discov ered that while Newton was long on prom izes of passes during the recent so was very short in his ability to deliver the goods. The seriousness with which the ist has been one of the surprises of the in vestigation.

"FIRE ALARM" FLANAGAN

SERVED WITH SUBPOENA. John (Fire Alarm) Flanagan of Carthage was served with a subpoena Tuesday and yesterday telegraphed Circuit Attorney Folk that he would be here to-day to tes tify. Joe Shannon of Kansas City has no put in an appearance. He was in St. Louis Tuesday, and it is probable that the paper missed him. Dolan of Kansas City has not been served, according to the information in

Circuit Attorney Folk expects for wit-nesses to-day, besides Fianagan, John A-Lee and C. E. Udell. Mr. Udell has just returned from a European tour, Subpoena which had been sent out for Senator Dave Nelson and Representatives Farley, Leon ard and Lynam were returned unserved yesterday. New ones were issued by Mr Folk in the afternoon, and an effort will be made to have them present this morning The four members have been working a

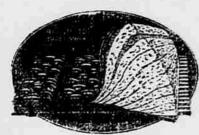
The press of the State is encouraging the attitude which has been taken by former Lieutenant Governor Lee in telling what he knows about corrupt legislation. Many of the expressions are kind in their good will. The following excerpt from the Cole County Democrat is a fair sample of what is being said over the State:

If it is really true that Mr. Lee has done wrong, and that he now confesses it and desires to make every reparation in his power, there is scarcely an honest heart in Missouri that will not beat more kindly toward him. Where con-trition and sincere repentance attend upon wrongdoing, the gates of mercy are not closed, no is the grace of human pity wenting. Spirits of the better sort will not pounce upon a man simply because he is down, and if John A. Lee has determined to do right he will lose no true friends merely because of that determination.

Dolan Says He Knows Nothing.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Kansas City, Mo., May 6.-Representative Cornelius Dolan said to-night that he had not yet been subpoenaed by the St. Louis Grand Jury. He said, further, that he would have nothing to tell the jury if he should be called upon to testify.

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SECOND "DEATH VALLEY" VICTIM WITHIN A WEEK.

which has been presented to the Grand Juries, he is the man who did "business" with purchasable members of the General Fogarty of East St. Louis Killed on Chestnut Street Ostensibly Ziegler's chief business was the surchase of the Provident Chemical Comby Ocele Woods.

The second murder within a week in "Death Valley" occurred last night at No. 2014 Chestnut street, when Thomas Fogarty, a plumber of East St. Louis, was sho through the head by Occie Woods, keeper of

a house at that number. She was arrested a few minutes after the shooting with Nellie Walker, an inmate. Both are locked up at the Four Courts. The women claim the shooting was the result of a disturbance started by the vic-

tim.
William Fleming, a companion of Fogarty's, was on the outside of the building when the shooting took place. He was arrested and is held as a witness.
Fogarty was removed to the City Hospital with a bullet wound in the side of the head and died at 11:29 o'clock.
Fleming says Fogarty and he boarded at No. 1027 Bowman avenue, East St. Louis, and were both plumbers.
Fogarty was 25 years old. The woman is 38 years old.

"AVOID THAT ALUM TWANG by using 'MAMMA'S' Baking Powder."

BODY MANGLED BY TRAIN. James Walsh, World's Fair Em-

ploye, Meets Sudden Death. James Walsh, a laborer at the World's Fair grounds, was killed by a Missouri Pacific train at 11 o'clock last night near the crossing at Tower Grove avenue and Old Manchester road. His mangled body was found by Thomas McCasslin of No. 4419 found by Thomas McCasslin of No. 4419
Race Course avenue, who was walking
along the tracks directly behind the train.
When Walsh's body reached the morgue
\$68 was found and a teiegram signed by
Annie Walsh at Mount Vernon, Ill., announcing that she was sick and asking him
to come. The telegram was addressed to
Walsh at No. 5465 Suburban avenue, where
he is supposed to have lived.
Walsh is thought to have been on his
way to Mount Vernon when he met his
death, as by his side a grip was found
which was packed for traveling.

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FIGHT ENDS IN SHOOTING.

Edward Duffey Taken to Hospital

With Bullet in Lung.

In a fight at the home of James Shea, No.
1406 Pine street, last night, Edward Duffey woman were arrested. At the Central District Police Station they declared it was Ahern who fired the shot. Duffey took no part in the fight, but was simply an onlooker.

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World's Fair Admission Contest Held Under Seal. =

The Republic Profit-Sharing Bureau announces that the contest among the subscribers of The Republic who qualified and filed estimates on the number of admissions to the World's Fair grounds on April 30, 1903, closed at 4 p. m. Wednesday. All mail distributed by the Post Office and deposited in Call Box No. 201 up to 4 p. m. was removed, as shown by the following certificate:

St. Louis, April 29, '03.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: This is to certify to the fact that the representative of The Republic's Profit-Sharing Bureau called for and received all mail matter addressed to The Republic's Profit-Sharing Bureau, Call Box 201, up to the hour of 4 o'clock p. m. Wednesday, April 29, 1903. F. W. BAUMHOFF, Postmaster.

All of the estimates received within the prescribed time have been

properly classified and placed under seal. This remains unbroken until the official record of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition Company is made

up and the number of admissions on April 30 is announced. The seals will

then be broken and a careful examination of all the estimates will be

made to determine the fourteen nearest correct estimates. This will be done under the supervision of an Awarding Committee.

...AWARDING COMMITTEE... The following gentlemen have consented to act as the Awarding Com-

Mr. George E. Hoffman, Cashier Merchants-Laclede National Bank. Mr. Conrad Budke, Vice Pres. and Treas. Nelson Chesman & Co. Mr. B. V. Chase, Advertising Agent Wabash Railroad.